

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
STATESVILLE DIVISION
CRIMINAL ACTION NO. 5:21-CR-00076-KDB-DSC**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

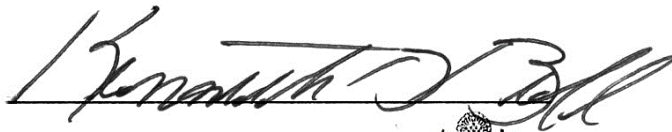
VICENTE CISNEROS-ESPINOZA,

Defendant.

ORDER

THIS MATTER IS BEFORE THE COURT on the Government's Motion to Dismiss, (Doc. No. 3), the Indictment, (Doc. No. 1) without prejudice following the Defendant's death. Accordingly, the Court **GRANTS** the Government's Motion. **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the Indictment (Doc. No. 1) be **DISMISSED** without prejudice.

Signed: December 13, 2022



Kenneth D. Bell
United States District Judge

